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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 31, 2007, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and comments in connection with the above-referenced application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page two (2) of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page five (5) of this paper.